

TABLE 1. STATEWIDE TAXABLE SALES, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS, FIRST QUARTER 1999								
		Taxable transactions					Per capita	
	Number of			Percent			taxable transactions	
Type of business	permits on	Amount	Percent	from				
	January 1, 1999	(in thousands)	of total	year to year			1998	1999
<i>Retail Stores</i>								
Women's apparel	9,474	\$735,681	.84	12.3			19.72	21.78
Men's apparel	3,346	409,740	.47	11.4			11.07	12.13
Family apparel	10,812	837,508	.96	-23.8			33.08	24.80
Shoes	4,366	451,021	.52	3.4			13.13	13.35
Apparel stores group	<b>27,998</b>	<b>2,433,950</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>-4.9</b>			<b>76.99</b>	<b>72.07</b>
General merchandise stores	8,346	7,548,311	8.66	13.8			199.60	223.50
Drug stores	4,329	1,231,467	1.41	1.9			36.36	36.46
General merchandise group	<b>12,675</b>	<b>8,779,778</b>	<b>10.07</b>	<b>12.0</b>			<b>235.96</b>	<b>259.96</b>
Gifts, art goods, and novelties	10,647	320,490	.37	10.6			8.72	9.49
Sporting goods	6,414	669,823	.77	6.0			19.02	19.83
Florists	4,962	218,801	.25	6.0			6.21	6.48
Photographic equipment and supplies	1,466	99,490	.11	-48.4			5.80	2.95
Musical instruments	2,810	386,694	.44	3.8			11.21	11.45
Stationery and books	8,662	974,973	1.12	1.0			29.05	28.87
Jewelry	7,567	347,998	.40	8.9			9.62	10.30
Office, store, and school supplies	14,456	3,100,652	3.56	12.0			83.35	91.81
Other specialties	87,779	2,860,024	3.28	15.6			74.44	84.68
Specialty stores group	<b>144,763</b>	<b>8,978,945</b>	<b>10.30</b>	<b>9.2</b>			<b>247.43</b>	<b>265.86</b>
Food stores selling all types of liquor	5,602	2,844,349	3.26	3.0			83.09	84.22
All other food stores	18,987	1,209,036	1.39	8.6			33.50	35.80
Food stores group	<b>24,589</b>	<b>4,053,385</b>	<b>4.65</b>	<b>4.6</b>			<b>116.59</b>	<b>120.02</b>
Eating places: no alcoholic beverages	43,281	3,381,753	3.88	7.2			94.98	100.13
Eating places: beer and wine	19,448	1,950,501	2.24	9.1			53.83	57.75
Eating and drinking: all types of liquor	10,762	2,285,188	2.62	6.3			64.68	67.66
Eating and drinking group	<b>73,491</b>	<b>7,617,442</b>	<b>8.74</b>	<b>7.4</b>			<b>213.48</b>	<b>225.55</b>

Household and home furnishings	20,986	1,720,861	1.97	15.3	44.93	50.95
Household appliance dealers	3,794	940,337	1.08	9.2	25.91	27.84
Household group	<b>24,780</b>	<b>2,661,198</b>	<b>3.05</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>70.84</b>	<b>78.80</b>
Lumber and building materials	3,731	2,945,362	3.38	22.3	72.46	87.21
Hardware stores	2,172	538,919	.62	8.1	15.00	15.96
Plumbing and electrical supplies	1,678	535,419	.61	18.3	13.63	15.85
Paint, glass, and wallpaper	1,561	196,406	.23	39.1	4.25	5.82
Building material group	<b>9,142</b>	<b>4,216,106</b>	<b>4.83</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>105.34</b>	<b>124.84</b>
New motor vehicle dealers	2,428	9,060,518	10.39	15.2	236.71	268.28
Used motor vehicle dealers	7,225	1,104,100	1.27	24.3	26.73	32.69
Automotive supplies and parts	12,061	1,024,090	1.17	2.2	30.15	30.32
Service stations	9,401	4,195,957	4.81	0.3	125.87	124.24
Automotive group	<b>31,115</b>	<b>15,384,665</b>	<b>17.64</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>419.47</b>	<b>455.53</b>
Packaged liquor stores	4,942	427,904	.49	5.4	12.22	12.67
Second-hand merchandise	6,399	115,222	.13	6.9	3.25	3.41
Farm implement dealers	1,225	515,173	.59	18.3	13.10	15.25
Farm and garden supply stores	3,683	393,492	.45	-2.2	12.11	11.65
Fuel and ice dealers	804	117,179	.13	8.8	3.24	3.47
Mobile homes, trailers, and campers	808	204,570	.23	23.0	5.01	6.06
Boat, motorcycle, and plane dealers	2,284	347,872	.40	14.9	9.11	10.30
All other retail stores group	<b>20,145</b>	<b>2,121,412</b>	<b>2.43</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>58.04</b>	<b>62.81</b>
Retail Stores Totals	<b>368,698</b>	<b>56,246,881</b>	<b>64.50</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>1,544.16</b>	<b>1,665.44</b>
Business and Personal Services	104,934	4,622,875	5.30	7.4	129.54	136.88
All Other Outlets	496,763	26,329,985	30.20	3.1	768.96	779.62
Totals All Outlets	<b>970,395</b>	<b>\$87,199,741</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>2,442.65</b>	<b>2,581.94</b>
HISTORICAL DATA						
Comparable data for retail stores:						
1994	332,440	42,657,265	65.31	3.7	1,335.04	
1995	338,018	43,596,988	64.59	2.2	1,366.25	
1996	339,596	46,995,596	64.00	7.8	1,458.45	

1997	344,118		49,159,038		63.77		4.6		1,504.71	
1998	346,657		51,306,176		63.22		4.4		1,544.16	
Comparable data for all outlets:										
1994	992,172		65,316,122				4.3		2,044.20	
1995	998,970		67,493,290				3.3		2,115.11	
1996	992,019		73,430,101				8.8		2,278.81	
1997	986,439		77,084,910				5.0		2,359.50	
1998	973,786		81,159,522				5.3		2,442.65	

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